

**In the Claims:**

**1-10. (canceled)**

**11. (currently amended):** A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 19, comprising a ~~matrix of crosslinked liquid or dissolved transition metal atoms and an effective pigmenting amount of a pigment selected from~~ Color Index Pigment Yellow 13, Pigment Yellow 73, Pigment Yellow 74, Pigment Yellow 93, Pigment Yellow 94, Pigment Yellow 95, Pigment Yellow 109, Pigment Yellow 120, Pigment Yellow 128, Pigment Yellow 139, Pigment Yellow 151, Pigment Yellow 154, Pigment Yellow 175, Pigment Yellow 180, Pigment Yellow 181, Pigment Yellow 185, Pigment Yellow 194, Pigment Orange 31, Pigment Orange 71, Pigment Orange 73, Pigment Red 144, Pigment Red 166, Pigment Red 184, Pigment Red 185, Pigment Red 202, Pigment Red 214, Pigment Red 220, Pigment Red 221, Pigment Red 222, Pigment Red 242, Pigment Red 248, Pigment Red 255, Pigment Red 262, Pigment Red 264, Pigment Brown 23, Pigment Brown 41, Pigment Brown 42, Pigment Blue 25, Pigment Blue 26, Pigment Blue 60, Pigment Blue 64, Pigment Violet 29, Pigment Violet 32, Pigment Violet 37, 3,6-di(4'-cyano-phenyl)-2,5-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyrrole-1,4-dione or 3-phenyl-6-(4'-tert-butyl-phenyl)-2,5-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyrrole-1,4-dione.

**12. (currently amended):** A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 11 which is in the form of a from 0.1 to 3  $\mu\text{m}$  thick film.

**13. (currently amended):** A glass item coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 11.

**14. (currently amended):** A glass item coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 12.

**15. (currently amended):** A glass article in the shape of a bottle coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 11.

**16. (currently amended):** A display screen coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 11.

17. (currently amended): A glass article in the shape of a bottle coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 12.

18. (currently amended): A display screen coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 12.<sup>19</sup>

19. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material comprising a matrix of crosslinked liquid or dissolved transition metal atoms and effective pigmenting amounts of from 2 to 10 pigments selected from the group consisting of pigments of the quinacridone, anthraquinone, perylene, indigo, quinophthalone, indanthrone, isoindolinone, isoindoline, dioxazine, azo, phthalocyanine, diketopyrrolopyrrole and 3-methylidene-2,3-dihydro-indol-2-on pigment series.

20. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 11, which comprises a surfactant.

21. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 19, which comprises a surfactant.

22. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 11, which optionally comprises a surfactant but comprises no dispersant.

23. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 19, which optionally comprises a surfactant but comprises no dispersant.

24. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 11, which comprises polyhydroxystyrene.

25. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 19, which comprises polyhydroxystyrene.

26. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 11, comprising pigments of different pigment series.

27. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material according to claim 19, comprising pigments of different pigment series.

28. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 19, which is in the form of a from 0.1 to 3 µm thick film.

29. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 25, which is in the form of a from 0.1 to 3 µm thick film.

30. (new): A glass item coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 25.

31. (new): A display screen coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 25.

32. (new): A glass article in the shape of a bottle coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 25.

33. (new): A transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 27, which is in the form of a from 0.1 to 3 µm thick film.

34. (new): A glass item coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 27.

35. (new): A display screen coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 27.

36. (new): A glass article in the shape of a bottle coated with a transparent, coloristically uniform vitreous material of claim 27.